UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA :

CRIMINAL ACTION

V.

1:14-CR-10168-FDS

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FERNANDO LNU, AKA CESAR

GONZALEZ ET AL

ASSENTED TO MOTION TO EXCLUDE TIME

The United States, with the assent of the defendants in the above-referenced action, respectfully moves to exclude, in computing the time within which the trial of this matter shall commence under 18 U.S.C. §3161(c)(1), the time period from March 9, 2015, the date of the final status conference, through and including at least until April 6, 2015, the date established to file pre-trial motions, or till the pre-trial conference before the District Court Judge, whichever is later. The continuance is necessary to permit counsel for the defendants to review discovery, prepare motions, engage in plea negotiations, and/or prepare for trial. The continuance therefore serves the interests of justice and outweighs the best interest of the public and the defendants in a speedy trial. Accordingly, exclusion of the time is appropriate under 18 U.S.C. §3161(h)(7)(A).

Respectfully submitted,

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